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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
PATRICK H. HOOL ET AL. )  
Serial No.: 10/766,080 ) Confirmation No. 2225  
Filed: January 28, 2004 ) Group Art Unit 3683  
For: FLOATING PISTON FOR ) Examiner: SY, MARIANO ONG  
AUGMENTING PRESSURIZED )  
FLUID FLOW DURING VEHICLE )  
BRAKING OPERATIONS ) Attorney Docket 1-24578

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 18, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 14 of this paper, and include two attached replacement sheets (attached following the Remarks/Arguments).

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.